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Dear John:

Thank you for your undated "letter to the Editor" which I received a few days ago. I appreciate the interest you are taking in trying to straighten out the files etc. at the [redacted] office which has operated on a hand to mouth basis for a long time now.

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I still plan to visit the Far East shortly after the first of the year. The exact date is somewhat indefinite since no representative of the new regime in CIA has yet visited our office for a look see. As you may know this was the reason for cancelling my trip in the first place. However if they don't get around to it soon I may assume that they aren't going to and depart on my journey.

I shall look forward to seeing you and discussing your problems and those of others at that time.

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A Merry Christmas to you and our mutual friends in [redacted]

Sincerely,

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